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TAGS: BBSR, BR
SUBJECT: WTDR/FTI: CIA FERRO LIGAS DA BAHIA S/A

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REGRET DELAY IN SENDING THIS REPORT BUT COMPANY SLOW TO
RESPOND TO OUR REPEATED REQUESTS
FOR INFORMATION.

1. BRASIL

2. 351

3. N/A

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5. CIA DE FERRO LIGAS DA BAHIA S/A

6. RUA MIGUEL CALMON, 38/42

7. 40.000 SALVADOR
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8. JOSE GORGOSINHO DE CARVALHO FILHO

9. TITLE: DIRECTOR

10. PHONE: 243-4111

11. TELEX: 71-1117

12. CABLE: FERROLIGAS

13. ESTABLISHED: 1961

14. EMPLOYS: 888

15. SIZE: LARGE

16. REPUTATION: Y-GOOD

17. DATE RPT: 08/78 OFFICE USE:

18.N/A

19. N/A

20. N/A

21. N/A

22. N/A

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24. FOREIGN SALES: UNITED STATES, CANADA JAPAN AND
EUROPE

25. FINANCIAL REFERENCES: BANCO DO BRASIL S/A
BANCO ECONOMICO S/A, BANCO LAR BRASILEIRO, SALVADOR,
BAHIA AND CIA SIDERURGICA MANNESMANN, GENERAL MOTORS DO BRASIL S/A
26. TRADE REFERENCES: SAMINCORP INC., 425 PARK AVENUE 7TH FLOOR,
NEW YORK, NY

27. FOREIGN FIRM REPRESENTED: SAME AS ITEM 26

28. THE COMPANY WAS ESTABLISHED IN 1961. HAS WORKING
CAPITAL OF CRS280,788,
204.00 AND HAS REGISTERED CAPITAL OF CRS 212,522,175.00 ONE OF
DIRECTORS, MR. JOSE GORGOSINHO DE CARVALHO FILHO WHO HOLDS 51-0/0
OF THE SHARES IS LARGEST SHAREHOLDER. COMPANY OPERATES FROM ITS
DOWN-TOWN SALVADOR AND HAS A BRANCH OFFICE IN SAO PAULO, SP.
ITS PLANT IS INSTALLED IN AREA OF 200,000M2 IN GOOD LOCATION.
COMPANY MANUFACTURES CHARGE CHROME, HIGH CARBON FERROCHROME, LOW
CARBON FERROCHROME AND SILICHROME WITH ANNUAL PRODUCTION OF
70.000 TONS OF WHICH 23.105 TONS ARE DESTINED TO INTERNAL MARKET
AND 46.650 TONS TO EXPORTATION. DIRECTORS, JOSE GORGOSINHO DE

CARVALHO FILHO, FRANCISCO LIZARDO NETO, THOMAS DE AQUINO BAROS
AND JOSE ZOBORAN ARE ALL BRAZILLIAN RESIDING IN SALVADOR AND SAID
TO BE HARD WORKING MEN. SOURCES CONSULTED REPORT COMPANY TO BE
IN SOMEWHAT TIGHT FINANCIAL SITUATION. HOWEVER FIRM HAS GOOD
REPUTATION AS IT MEETS ITS OBLICATIONS POMPTLY AND IT IS BELIEVED
TO HAVE GOOD ECONOMIC PROSPECTS
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